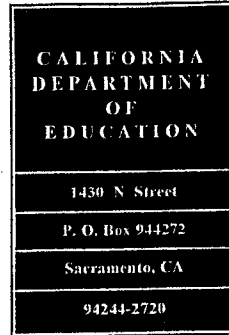




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Mr. Jim Bartridge
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RE: Romoland School District

Dear Jim:

Based upon our recent discussion concerning the Romoland School District, I was recently informed by the school district that the proposed school site near the Inland Empire Energy Center, known as the Ashby site, is at least 1500 feet away from the IEEC site.

In my letter to you dated September 24, 2002, I indicated that this school site was approximately 900 feet away from the IEEC site. In evaluating this new information, my office still recommends that the district pursue their alternative site, which is further away from the proposed plant.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (916) 322-1461.

Sincerely,

James F. Bush, Assistant Director
School Facilities Planning Division

cc: Duwayne Brooks
Tom Tooker
Roland Skumawitz, Superintendent, Romoland USD

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